

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 10 October 1951	2. LOCATION Holloman AFB, New Mexico		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local 1400 GMT NOT GIVEN	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Binoculars <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual		
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Civilian		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 6 minutes	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE not given	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Cigar-shaped obj w/fan shaped tail & four pin-points of lights on the side like portholes.		11. COMMENTS Source was questioned & stated that he was in error & what was sighted was an F-106 a/c. Further investigation proved this to be correct.	

oon — if it does. It could orbit around the moon.

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p: **MISSILE
ENGINEER
SEES UFO**

ALAMOGORDO, N. M. (UPI) —A cigar-shaped unidentified flying object was reported seen Friday night near the place where the "Man High" Air Force space balloon landed Wednesday.

The object was reported by John Romero, identified as a missile engineer, on White Sands Proving Ground. He said it had a fan-shaped tail and four pin-point spots of lights on the side like portholes.

Romero said he saw the object through binoculars for about six minutes. It hovered about 10 degrees above the horizon and then vanished over the San Andres Mountains near Alamogordo.

Officials of both White Sands and Holloman Air Development Center said they knew nothing about the reported flying object.

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TO: COMDR, HOLLOMAN AFB, ALAMOGORDO, N. M.					
/UNCLASSIFIED/FROM: AFCIN-4E4 10-2466-E					
<p>IT HAS COME TO THE ATTENTION OF THIS CENTER THAT A MR. [REDACTED] EMPLOYED AT YOUR INSTALLATION AS A MISSILE ENGINEER, SIGHTED AN UFO THE NIGHT OF 10 OCT 1958. REQUEST A COMPLETE INVESTIGATION OF THIS INCIDENT IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2, 5 FEB 1958. EXPERIENCE HAS SHOWN THAT SIGHTINGS OF THIS NATURE GENERATE ADVERSE PUBLICITY FOR THE AIR FORCE. THE [REDACTED] CASE OF LAST NOVEMBER, SAME LOCATION, IS A GOOD EXAMPLE OF THIS. THE INFO REQUESTED WILL ENABLE THE AIR FORCE TO ANSWER ANY QUESTIONS, CHARGES ETC. THAT MIGHT BE PUT TO IT CONCERNING THIS INCIDENT.</p> <p>COORDINATION:</p> <p>AFCIN-4E4 <u>P. J. Glaser</u> DATE <u>15 Nov 58.</u> Col Glaser</p> <p>AFCIN-4E <u>W. B. Gilbert</u> DATE <u>10/16</u> Col Gilbert</p> <p>AFCIN-4X1 <u>A. H. Arcier</u> DATE <u>10/16.</u> Mr Arcier</p>					
SYMBOL		AFCIN-4E4		SIGNATURE	
WRITER	TYPED NAME AND TITLE (Signature Required)		TYPED (or stamped) NAME AND TITLE		
	T/Sgt James O. Bolieu		John B. Myers		
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UNCLASSIFIED		ATIC Duty Officer			

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TO: COMDR ATIC WADC								
UNCLASSIFIED FROM MDOO-10-32-M. REFERENCE MESSAGE AFCIN-4E4-10-2466E. MR. [REDACTED] TELECOMPUTING CORP., AFMDC, WAS CONTACTED AND INTERROGATED ON 17 OCT 58 IN ACCORDANCE WITH AFR 200-2 DATED 5 FEB 58. HE AGREED TO DICTATE A STATEMENT CONCERNING WHAT HE SAW ON THE NIGHT OF 10 OCTOBER. MR. [REDACTED] WAS CALLED AGAIN ON 20 OCT 58 AND HE STATED THAT HE WAS IN ERROR AND WHAT HE SAW WAS AN F-106 AIRCRAFT FLYING OUT OF HOLLOMAN AFB. A FURTHER INVESTIGATION BY THIS OFFICE PROVED THIS TO BE CORRECT. THE ALLEGED OBJECT SEEN WAS THE SUN'S REFLECTION ON THE CONTRAILS OF THE F-106. THIS WAS FURTHER CONFIRMED BY MR. [REDACTED] OF THE AIR PHENOMENON RESEARCH ORGANIZATION 1712 VAN COURT STREET, ALAMOGORDO, NEW MEXICO. AFMDC						DATE 21 MONTH OCT		
TIME 19302 YEAR 58								
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	PHONE 7050	PAGE NR. 1	NR. OF PAGES 2	RICHARD C. GIBSON COLONEL, USAF DCS/OPERATIONS				
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JOINT MESSAGEFORM - CONTINUATION SHEET

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FROM:

COMDR AFMDC HAFB N MEX

UNCLASSIFIED FROM MDOO-10-32-M.

CONSIDERS THIS ITEM CLOSED. ANY FUTURE INQUIRIES ON
UFO'S SHOULD BE SENT TO CAPTAIN J. A. WOODS, MDOOT.

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